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Students Register For Next Semester Monday, Jan. 27

Second semester registration will be held Monday, January 27, in the Administration building.

Students entering for the first time and students who have not pre-registered will obtain advisement sheets in the registrar's office and then report to their advisers.

Advisers for the education department will be in room 205; advisers for men's physical education will be in room 225; and industrial arts advisers will be in room 122. Other faculty members will be in their regular offices.

After completing their programs and having the trial schedule cards signed by the advisers, students will report to the registrar's office to obtain registration materials and permits.

When the adviser's signature has been obtained in the registration booklet, the student will go to room 114 where registration booklets will be checked.



Beverly Murphy

SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS . . . was the honorary title given to Beverly Murphy during the "Hanging of the Greens" Sunday at Residence Hall. Myrna Olson, freshman, was selected from among the dancers as Spirit of Misrule. —Photo by George Green.

Assembly to Be Early in January By College Choir

NWMSU's College Choir will present an assembly at 10 a.m., January 9, in the auditorium.

Numbers to be presented include "Hymn to St. Cecilia," by Benjamin Britten, Fred Waring's arrangement of Peter Tschalkowsky's "Nutcracker Suite," "Brooklyn Farewell Baseball Cantata" by George Kleinsinger, and "Addenda Advent Motete" by Gustav Schreck.

"Hymn to St. Cecilia" will feature soloists Marjorie McClure, Emilie Benedict, Peggy Guthrie, Don Herren, and George Chaney. (Continued on Page Two)

Dorm Construction Progresses Rapidly At Hall and Quad

Construction of two new dormitories is underway. Men and equipment have moved on campus and work is now progressing as machinery and materials become available. Both new additions are being built by the Thomas Construction Company, which has its headquarters in St. Joseph.

Located to the south of Residence Hall is the portable office of Rod Thomas, representative of the company. He will act as foreman in charge of the building of the Hall expansion.

Excavation and preparation for the foundation is the first operation in progress. Once the digging machinery has completed its work at Residence Hall, it will be moved over to the Men's Quadrangle where Glenn DeVoght is in charge of construction.

The combined digging operation is expected to take from one to two weeks, depending upon the weather.

Faculty Musician To Present Recital

Mr. Donald Sandford, member of the music department, will give a recital on the viola February 3 at 8:15 in the Horace Mann auditorium. He will be accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Sandford.

Included in the recital will be three sonatas. The first, "Sonata in E Flat, Op. 5, No. 3," by Johann N. Hummel, is the first sonata ever written for viola and piano.

"Sonata in A," by J. S. Bach, the second number on the program, is written for viola without any accompaniment.

Third on the program will be "Autumn Sketches" by Alan Richardson.

"Sonata," by Sir Arthur Bliss, an English composer, will be the major number on the program.

According to Mr. Sandford, the sonata, which was written in 1933, was at that time the most difficult work that had ever been written for viola.

Santa Visits Alphas At Christmas Party Held in Chapter Room

Santa Claus, alias Ann Schilling, visited the Alpha Sig Christmas party in the chapter room last night.

Rosalie McCrary and Margie O'Connor, co-chairmen of the entertainment committee, provided the program.

Party decorations consisting of a traditional Christmas tree, candles and streamers were put up by the committee, consisting of Peggy Riley, Janice Wilkinson, and Mary Jane Hinderlitter.

Mothers and daughters exchanged gifts which were handed out by Santa Claus and his helpers. The sponsors, Miss Bonnie Magill and Mrs. John Mauzey, received gifts from the sorority.

Doughnuts and hot chocolate were served by the refreshment committee, Beverly Lagerburg, Norma Long, Marylouise Armstrong, and Beverly Lyle.

Dr. Miller Is In Hospital

Dr. Leon Miller, chairman of the education department, was taken to the St. Francis Hospital yesterday. He has pneumonia.



SOME OF THE CAST . . . of "Amahl and the Night Visitors" are, seated, left to right, Stephen Knott as the Page; James Hargrave as Amahl; and Shirley Noelck as the Mother. Standing are Ed Stock as Kaspar, and Carl Redmon as Balthazaar. —Photo by George Green.

Students to Appear in 'Amahl' In Christmas Assembly Today

"Amahl and the Night Visitors," a Christmas opera, will be presented today at an assembly in the auditorium at 2:00 p.m.

This musical drama, the first of its kind to be commissioned especially for TV, was written by Gian-Carlo Menotti. "Amahl" was first broadcast in 1948 by the NBC Opera Company under the direction of Menotti. Since that time, Hallmark's Hall of Fame show has produced Menotti's work each year, making "Amahl and the Night Visitors" one of the most popular and best known of the Christmas stories. This year's TV presentation is scheduled for December 23.

Members of Cast

Members of the cast are James Hargrave, Ricky Phillips, Ronnie Goodspeed, Joe Logan, and Neal Baker as Amahl; Shirley Noelck and Joan Setzer as the mother. The Three Kings are Kaspar, Edwin Stock; Melchior, Charles Hagee; and Balthazaar, Carl Redmon; Page, Stephen Knott.

Shepherdesses are played by Margaret Filschen, Cleo Fulton, Karen Graham, Nina Hopple, Helen Johnson, Peggy Malcolm, Jean March, Patricia Murphy, Lois Patton, Mary Lindgren, Joan Meadows, Crystal Rabe, Rose Rabe, Nancy Rea, Evelyn Robison, Betty Roe, Mary Yoss, Jeanette Ruoff, Phyllis Schirmer, Lois Schrader, Shirley Smith, Sharon Sunderman, Marilyn White, Janice Wilkinson, and Velma Tschetter.

Shepherds

Shepherds are William Craig, Samuel Holmes, Stanley Maas, James Marley, Ernie Mertz, Aaron Thompson, Lee Traster, Robert White, Robert Williamson, Ronnie King, Joel Pottinger, and Don Eastbourn.

Dancers are Emilie Benedict and Marcia Bishop; oboist is Lee Traster. The accompanists are Mr. Gerhard Krapf, organist, and Mrs. Mary Jane Sandford, pianist. Assistant accompanists are Marilyn Gillis, Sharon Pittsenbarger, and Karen Kinnick.

Music is directed and conducted by Mr. Gilbert Whitney, assisted by Shirley Noelck, Joan Setzer, Robert Williamson, and Helen MacDonald. "Amahl and the Night Visitors" is under the technical direction of Mr. L. G. Bladt. Assisting Mr. Bladt are James Hush, Maurice Mires, Eldon Harden, Robert Preston, Etta McClurg, and Gwen Mayfield.

Members of Dr. Ralph Fulson's stagecraft class helping with scenery and makeup are Francis Williams, Joan Setzer, Paul Heavilin. (Continued on Page Four)

Students to Attend Seminar January 9

Final evaluation of student teaching experiences will be discussed at the student-teacher seminar to be held January 9. The student teaching program will be reviewed and the kinds of experiences had at Horace Mann through associations with supervising teachers and students will be discussed and evaluated.

"Critique" experience in practice teaching is what Dr. Leon Miller calls the final seminar meeting of the semester.

Union Board to Hold Coffee Hour in Lounge

Members of the Union Board will sponsor a Christmas coffee hour to be held in the Union lounge, tomorrow from 3 to 5 p.m. Classes are not to be dismissed, but students are asked to attend between classes or during a free hour.

Entertainment will consist of long playing high-fidelity recordings of Handel's "Messiah" by the New York Philharmonic Orchestra.

Three Students Rate High in Speech Contest

Three students made excellent ratings in the 38th Annual Southwestern College speech tournament last week at Winfield, Kansas. Paul Heavilin made an excellent rating in extempore speaking; Pat Murphy, in poetry reading; and Sandra McMillan, in discussion.

Choir to Lead Singing

Christmas carols will be heard in the Administration building the last three days before Christmas vacation. Singing will take place from 12:30 to 1:00 today and tomorrow and from 11:40 to 12:10 Friday.

Members of the Tower Choir, directed by Mr. Gilbert Whitney, will lead the carolling, but the entire student body is asked to join in.

Notice

Elections of Student Senate representatives will be held tomorrow from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.



SIGMA SIGMA SIGMA OFFICERS . . . proudly display the Pan-Hellenic Council Scholarship Trophy which they have won for the fifth straight year. Front row, left to right, are Barbara Julius, vice-president; and Jo Beeson, president. Back row, left to right, are Carolyn Ogden, corresponding secretary; Eva Lee Hess, keeper of the grades; Patsy Salmon, recording secretary; and Peggy Owen, treasurer. —Photo by George Green.

"Merry Christmas!"

Those of you who have enjoyed the Hanging of the Greens at Residence Hall will recall the Spirit of Christmas who came to the Hall to rule over the festivities. You will recall that the Spirit of Christmas called forth her helpers to make this season one of joy and happiness for all. At this 1957 Christmas season it is my wish that the Spirit of Christmas will enter the lives of students and faculty of the Northwest Missouri State College and make this Christmas a joyful one for all.

As you face the New Year with resolution to do the best you can, may I extend to you my best wishes for the realization of this ideal.

Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year,

J. W. Jones
President

Christmas, 1957

Some Can't Wait...

St. Peter was unlocking the golden gates for some new people who had come to reside in the land of paradise.

"How did you people get sent up?" asked St. Peter.

"We were killed in an auto wreck," replied the new citizens. "We were driving down the road enjoying the beautiful scenery when some boys passed a car on a hill and hit us."

"When will those people down in the United States ever learn to drive safely?" asked St. Peter. "Last year we gained 35,200 new citizens just because someone disobeyed traffic laws. There were 40,000 killed last year, but they didn't all make it up here," related the old gatekeeper. "You know there is another place, way down below where it's hot, that takes care of the reckless and careless drivers. I'm glad that those crazy drivers are down there because all of the gold on the streets would soon be worn off if those reckless drivers were permitted to come up here."

St. Peter stopped talking suddenly. Off in the distance roaring and squealing tires could be heard.

"Hear that?" asked St. Peter. "That's coming from way down there. You know—where it's hot. They put in a race track to satisfy those citizens who liked to disobey traffic laws when they were alive, but I've heard that they are now trying to kick the reckless drivers out. I guess nobody wants people who think it's a thrill to disobey traffic laws."

"Oh, no!" exclaimed St. Peter. "Here come some more victims of an auto wreck. At this rate my golden gates will soon wear out. It seems that all I do is open them for innocent traffic victims."

"Why don't those people in the United States learn to obey traffic laws?" muttered a worried St. Peter.

Democracy on the Campus

Tomorrow, members of the four classes of the college will elect their Student Senate representatives for the next year.

Many comments have been heard in the past that elections are "cut and dried," that only candidates backed by a certain organization have a chance to be elected. These comments have seemed to be true in many cases.

It does seem wrong that the social organizations, to which only a minority of the student body belongs, should control the affairs of the whole school.

Only one reason can really be given for the situation—the disinterestedness, or the lassitude, of the unaffiliated and independent students on the campus. Even the social organizations favor elections in which more students take part. An all out effort on the part of unaffiliated students could bring about the election of any candidate they choose.

This is a democratic campus. Citizens of a democracy have a responsibility to vote.

—Joyce Barnes

They're Talking About...

THEY'RE TALKING ABOUT . . . pre-registration lines from here to September . . . "living in the clouds," the Frank Broyles interpretation of M.U.'s restrictive interstate recruiting system for football talent; and the disturbed departure (loss) of a capable coach for Fayetteville, Arkansas . . . last week's pledge Hell Nights.

THEY'RE TALKING ABOUT . . . only five shopping days remaining until the climax of another scurried season . . . 1957's December 20th to 1958's January 6th—recuperative Christmas recess . . . "Hanging of the Greens," colorful yearly affair in the 'home' on Circle Drive.

THEY'RE TALKING ABOUT . . . "Teahouse of the August Moon," sensational Pulitzer Prize-winning play introduced in New York's Martin Beck theatre; and on film, a great show in Maryville's 3rd Street theatre . . . the preliminary invasion of construction on campus . . . the Vanguard goof and continued inter-service satellite squabbles—big business-type competition hangs on.

THEY'RE STILL TALKING ABOUT . . . Dreamy-eyed Diane, S.M.U.'s contribution to the world of big orchestras, and Tommy Mercer giving out with lyrics during a two-hour concert backed up by: Director Lee Castle, man with a mean trumpet; Gil, on a real mellow trombone; Buzz Brown, the cool cat on the clarinet; and little George and his big baritone sax—all spurred on by a spirited full house taking in "So Rare" a performance by the Fabulous Dorsey Orchestra.

Letter of Thanks

Dear Friends of the Faculty and the Student Body:

During the past year an ever increasing number of you have given evidence of your generosity, your love of neighbor and your devotion to a community responsibility by donating your blood in order to give back strength to those who have lost it. . . .

Therefore, on behalf of the administration of the St. Francis Hospital Blood Bank, and on behalf of the patients who have been restored to health through your instrumentality, we thank you—and wish you a very Blessed Christmas, and a most Happy New Year!

Very sincerely,
Sister M. Carmelita

Those who are on the honor roll of blood donors for 1957 are George P. Wood, Dan M. Sullivan, Larry Addison, Ron Searcy, Carol Gamble, Richard Rowland, Francis Williams, Sterling Surrey, Eugene Johnson, Larry Brown, Everett Brown, R. P. Foster, Mae Marie Livermore, Dewaine Metcalfe, Jerry Overton, Richard D. Smith, Harry Fox, Darryl Johnson, Lloyd Mather, Donald Robertson, W. H. Tate, Ervin O. Ristau, Jr.

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Assembly to Be Early in January by College Choir

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The number, a musically difficult one, is considered an ambitious work for the choir.

Featured in "The Nutcracker Suite" will be a ballet number in which Sue Lynn, Karen Kinnick, Mary Ann Salfrank, and Donna Anderson will participate. The movements of the suite will be "Overture," "Trepak," "Dance of the Toy Flutes," and "Waltz of the Flowers."

"Brooklyn Farewell Baseball Cantata" is a humorous cantata written in 1941 about the great sport of America. It was made famous through Robert Merrill, a popular Metropolitan Opera Baritone.

Soloists in the cantata will be Charles Elliott and Robert Williamson as the announcer, George Chaney as the umpire, Nancy Wharton as the girl friend, and Stephen Knott as the vender.

In an effort to make the concert more interesting, the choir plans to try some unusual lighting effects. The first number will involve changing lights.

Members of the choir are sopranos Emille Benedict, Kathryn Clark, Mary Edwards, Helen Francisco, Kathleen Hopple, Karen Kinnick, Judy Maris, Marjorie McClure, Pat Murphy, Shirley Noelck, Joann Setzer, and Nancy Wharton.

Altos are Suzanne Anno, Marcia Bishop, Donna Bowen, Marsha Crowell, Karen Dotson, Peggy Guthrie, Sue Lynn, Martha Maris, Ona Morrison, Sharon Pittsenger, and Marilyn White.

Singing tenor will be David Hansen, Stephen Knott, Robert Kurtz, Ernest Mertz, Edwin Stock, Robert White, and Donald Herren.

Bass singers are Dennis Bissell, Ronald Boorman, George Chaney, Charles Elliott, Gerald Jones, Ronald King, James Marley, Joel Pottinger, Craig Tweedy, and Robert Williamson.



"SINCE IT'S ONE WEEK 'TIL FINALS, I CALLED YOU IN TO ASK JUST WHAT YOU PLAN TO DO ABOUT THE 16 WEEKS BACK WORK YOU OWE ME!"

First Semester Examinations

Final examinations for the first semester will be held on Saturday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, January 11-17. This semester, for the first time, some courses with more than 100 students enrolled will have final examinations in the evening so that all may have the same examination.

It is mandatory that every student be present for examinations as scheduled. The schedule is as follows:

S. S. 1, all sect. . . . Sat., 8-10
Hum. 1b, all sect. . . . Mon., 8-10
Ed. 85, all sect. . . . Tues., 8-10
Eng. 11a, all sect. . . . Wed., 8-10
Bus. 80, all sect. . . . Thurs., 8-10
Ed. 30, all sect. . . . Fri., 8-10

Evening Sessions:

P. E. 49, all sect. . . . Mon., 7-9 p.m.
Bus. 53, all sect. . . . Tues., 7-9 p.m.
S. S. 2, all sect. . . . Wed., 7-9 p.m.
P. E. 30, all sect. . . . Thurs., 7-9 p.m.

(All of the above in the main auditorium unless other arrangements made by instructor)

Classes meeting for the first time in the week: Will hold final examinations:

Monday, 8 Saturday, 10-12
Tuesday, 8 Monday, 10-12
Monday, 9 Tuesday, 10-12
Tuesday, 9 Wednesday, 10-12
Monday, 10 Thursday, 10-12
Tuesday, 10 Friday, 10-12
Monday, 11 Saturday, 1-3
Tuesday, 11 Monday, 1-3
Monday, 12 Tuesday, 1-3
Tuesday, 12 Wednesday, 1-3
Monday, 1 Thursday, 1-3
Tuesday, 1 Friday, 1-3
Monday, 2 Saturday, 3-5
Tuesday, 2 Monday, 3-5
Monday, 3 Tuesday, 3-5
Tuesday, 3 Wednesday, 3-5
Monday, 4 Thursday, 3-5
Tuesday, 4 Friday, 3-5

Lecture-laboratory courses may use the examination period assigned either to the hours of lecture or to the hours of laboratory.

Saturday class examinations will be held at the regular hours of meeting on Saturday, January 18. Instructors please announce.

A final examination should be given in all classes, according to the schedule above. Instructors may use their own judgment as to whether they will require the writing of a final examination by persons completing degree requirements at this time. All other students should stand examination at the designated times. Instructors are not at liberty to change examination periods, excuse students, or to permit some to take examinations early and others late.

Christian Association Sings Christmas Carols

Student Christian Association members will meet at the east door of the Administration building tomorrow at 7 p.m. for their annual Christmas carolling. They will visit shut-ins. One of those visited will receive a food basket for which all members of the organization contributed money.

Following the carolling, a Christmas party will be held at the home of Dr. Irene Mueller.

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ALPHA CHAPTER OF KAPPA OMICRON PHI . . . national honorary home economics sorority, honored the founder, Miss Hettie Anthony, at a tea held Saturday, December 7, in the home economics department. Shown above are, left to right, Charlene Steiner, Dorothy Evans, Maxine Hull, Sandra Bill, Miss Anthony, Virginia Howe, Beverly Johnson, Peggy McIlarg, and Colene Hughes.—Photo by George Green.

Phi Sig Inspector Meets With Chapter

Mrs. William Atkins, St. Louis, national inspector of Sigma Sigma Sigma social sorority, was in charge of the inspection of the Alpha Epsilon Chapter of the sorority on campus Dec. 6 and 7. Mrs. Atkins arrived early Saturday morning and was met by Miss Mary Ross, chapter sponsor, and chapter officers Jo Beeson, president, Peg Owen, treasurer, and Mary Salmon, secretary. During the morning, Mrs. Atkins had conferences with Mrs. L. G. Bladt, Dean of Women, and President W. Jones.

Following the conferences, an introductory tea was held in her honor Saturday morning. Those invited to the tea included the sponsors and representatives of the other sororities on campus, Panhellenic representatives, and the Sigma staff.

Members of the local alumnae chapter of Sigma Sigma Sigma entertained Mrs. Atkins with a banquet Saturday evening in her honor. Sunday morning, the college members, pledges, Miss Ross, and Mrs. Atkins attended the Baptist Church. They ate dinner together in the review room of the union. An informal farewell meeting was held in the chapter room Sunday afternoon.

Phi Sigs Dance in Chapter Room

Phi Sigma Epsilon fraternity had its annual Christmas Dance Friday, December 6, in the new chapter ballroom. Couples danced to the music of the "Rythmaires," from Shenandoah, Iowa. Mr. Lon Wilson was presented an award of recognition for his outstanding service to the fraternity by President Don Bennett at the intermission. Gerald Dallam acted as the master of ceremonies. Several numbers were presented by the actives and pledges. Intermission was climaxed by the serving of cookies and punch to more than seventy couples.

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MR. AND MRS. DONALD SANDFORD . . . prepare for his recital to be held Feb. 3.—George Green

Sorority Members Sing At Patronesses' Homes

Members of Delta Zeta sorority took Christmas gifts to the patients of the Pleasant View Rest Home last evening. Then they sang Christmas carols at the homes of the sorority patronesses—Mrs. Albert Bell, Mrs. Harold Fields, Mrs. R. T. Wright, and Mrs. Sterling Surrey.

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A. C. E. Gives Gifts To Needy Children

Norma Long, social chairman, had charge of the A. C. E. Christmas party Wednesday night in the kindergarten room.

Games, entertainment and group singing were led by Pat Nisely, Mary Roll, Pat Torrence, and Glenda Nichols.

Rather than exchanging gifts, the members brought gifts for needy children. Beverly Murphy and Helen Bush are in charge of the distribution of the children's gifts.

Refreshments of hot cranberry punch and cookies were served by the committee consisting of Shirley Huemader, Mary Richards, Lou Jane Taylor, and Mary Ellen Watkins.

Miss Kathryn McKee poured the punch from a table decorated with an angel and candles by Kay Reed and Sandra Grove.

Dr. Blackwell Attends Credit Union Meeting

Dr. Dale Blackwell, executive secretary of the Northwest Missouri Teachers Credit Union, attended the annual business meeting of the Missouri State Credit Union and the annual state convention of the Missouri Credit Union League in Kansas City recently. The local credit union, which serves teachers throughout the Northwest Missouri College District, is affiliated with both of the state credit union organizations.

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Meals in the Dining Hall will end Friday noon, Dec. 20, for Christmas vacation, states Mrs. M. T. Sheldon, the college dietitian. Meals will start again on Monday morning, Jan. 6, following vacation.

Christmas dinner will be served on Thursday, Dec. 19. Everyone is asked to dress appropriately for the dinner.

Pi Omega Pi enjoyed a Christmas dinner and party Monday, December 16, in the Union from 5 to 8:00 p.m.

Donna Thompson, a senior, was chairman of the dinner and Shirley Moore, a senior, was in charge of the entertainment including a humorous grab-bag gift exchange and games.

Fire under the steps leading to the auditorium caused a flurry of excitement about 9:40 a.m. Dec. 9. Workmen were welding a pipe when some rags caught fire. The flames were quickly extinguished, but the smell of smoke lingered in the hall and caused some anxiety for uninformed students.

Dr. Leon Miller, chairman of the education department, attended a meeting of the chairmen of the education departments of all the Missouri state colleges in Jefferson City Friday. The topic discussed was the "off-campus student teachers program."

Wilbur Wright, 1952 graduate of this college, was accepted by the University of Missouri medical school last week. He has been doing post-graduate work here the past two years.

Don Schenkel, 1956 graduate and former M-Club member, is stationed with the service at Fort Hood, Texas, where he plays football for the Fort Hood Tankers. He was married September 28 to Mary Rhodus of Castle Rock, Colorado.

Miss Barbara Wilson, Horace Mann librarian, was recently re-elected secretary-treasurer of the Missouri Association of School Librarians.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bird, former graduates of the college, have been stationed in Heidelberg, Germany, for the past three years. Mrs. Bird, formerly Marge Powell, was once a supervising teacher in kindergarten at the Horace Mann Laboratory School.

Members of the Des Moines chapter of the alumni association of this college met November 8 at Hotel Savery in Des Moines. Mr. Kenneth Lepley, president, and Mrs. Betty Drennan Jackson were co-chairmen of the reception. Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Wright and Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Houghton attended from this campus.

Kenneth Hatten, sophomore agriculture major from New Hampton, and Lucille Flint, of Prairie Village, Kansas, were married November 27 at the First Baptist Church in Mission, Kansas.

Sandra Gehlson and Larry Hanson were married November 23 at the Lutheran Church here in Maryville. Both are attending this college. They are residing in Maryville.

A daughter, Regina Claire, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Wright, December 3. Mr. Wright graduated from this college in the class of 1952.

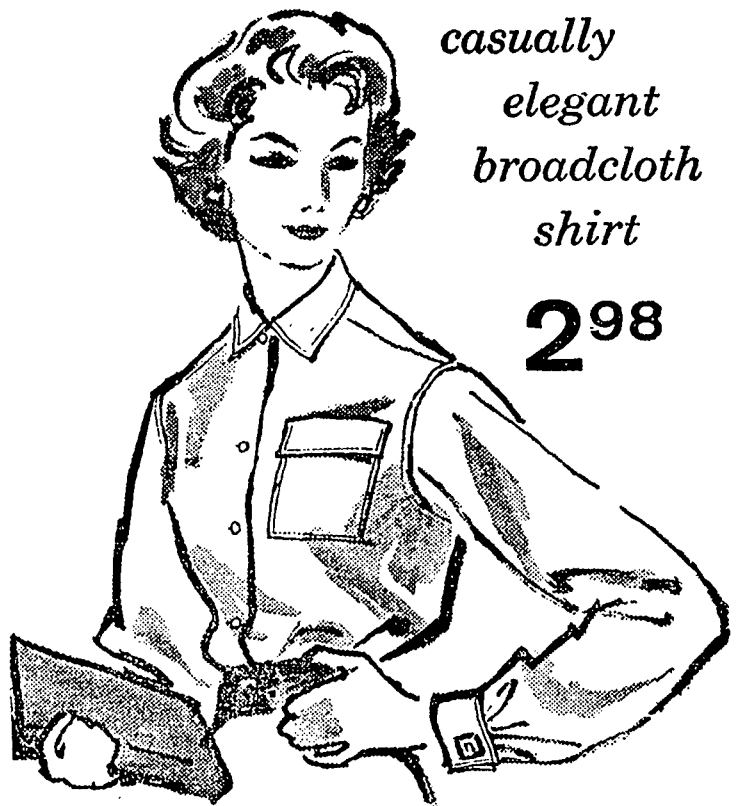
Marlin Carey, class of '51, and Norma Randall Carey are the parents of a daughter, Nancy Lynn, born November 3. Their home is in Memphis, Michigan.

Newly elected officers of the Newman Club are Rose Mary Meyer, president; Phillip Maher, vice-president; and Phyllis Pfeifer, secretary-treasurer.

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Panhandle A&M to Appear Next As Bearcats' Opponents in Gym

After not faring too well in the Mid-American tournament last week, the Bearcats are slated to return to action for one game before the Christmas holidays. First for the Bearcats after their short vacation will be a conference game at Warrensburg, January 4. A full schedule of games is to follow:

Taking the floor against the visiting Panhandle A. & M. team from Goodwill, Oklahoma, the Bearcats will be looking for their first home victory of the current season Friday night, December 20, at 8 p.m. Marland Ray continues to lead the team in scoring with occasional help from alternating scorers.

Scheduled for December 30 was a game with the alumni, but it had to be cancelled because there was a shortage of players for the alumni.

Warrensburg will be the first conference foe for the Bearcats and the Mules would like to pick up where they left off last season when they tied Kirksville for the M.I.A.A. championship. Louis Sanbothe (6'7"), a member of the 1956-57 all-conference second team will be back and may get a lot of help from Paul Richardson (6'1") and Fred Oschel (6'10"). The game will be played at Warrensburg January 4.

Transfer Students Lead Springfield

Springfield is the next on the list in a game to be played January 6 on the Bears' home court. With four men averaging more than ten points a game, Springfield is putting in a strong bid for the conference title. Bill Wynn (6'3") and Jack Israel (6'5"), both transfer students from the University of Missouri, and Charles Taylor (6'6") team up with Max Oldham (6'4"), also a member of the all-conference second team last season, to provide the spark needed. Israel is leading the team in scoring. Taylor is a transfer student from Friends University.

Third on the list of conference foes are Cape Girardeau's Indians. Wayne Crippen and Kenneth Long, both standing at 6'5" and Thomas Krebs (6'1") are back again this

year, and Coach Ralph Pink hopes to form a nucleus with which to rebound from a rather poor season last year. This will be the first home conference game for the Bearcats and is scheduled for the night of January 11.

To Play at Rolla Next

Next on the program are the Rolla Miners, Jan. 20, who finished one notch above the Bearcats in the conference standings this past season. John Sturm, a 6'7" sophomore, is leading the Miners in the point department but is ably backed up by John Sweeny (6'3") and Ronald Jurenka (6'0"). Sturm is a transfer student from the University of Missouri.

Maryville's Bearcats continue in competition within the conference with a return game, January 21, with the Indians from Cape Girardeau. From there the team travels to Memphis, Tennessee, to play the Memphis Navy Base, January 23, and then continues its swing toward home as the Bearcats stop, January 24, for a game against Arkansas State at Jonesboro, Arkansas.

Maryville Returns Home

Returning home on January 27, the Maryville Bearcats tangle with the Gorillas from Pittsburg State and then enter into conference play once again, four days later, January 31, with Rolla.

Kirksville is the first February foe for the Bearcats as the Maryville team travels to Bulldog land February 4. With Jerry Burdette (6'3"), Roy Tewell (5'11"), Gus Doss (6'6"), and Thomas Weatherby (6'3") leading the Bulldogs it could prove to be an interesting game. Kirksville tied Warrensburg for the top honors in the conference in the 1956-57 season and has another good team this year.

Random Shots . . .

Although falling to Iowa State Teachers College by a score of 57-52, Maryville's Bearcats showed signs of improvement. The ball handling and passing of the Bearcats was much better than had been displayed in the opening tilt. Marland Ray was the outstanding player of the game, scoring 31 points on 11 goals and 9 gift shots.

Maryville's "B" squad also showed improvement as they defeated Peru State Teachers College of Peru, Nebraska. Denny Tassell and Jack Freese were standouts as the "B's" surged ahead in the opening minutes and won easily. Tassell collected fifteen points while Freese managed twelve points and stood out in the rebound department.

Marland Ray, junior from Elmo, is leading the MIAA Conference in scoring. Ray has scored 53 points in two games for a "red hot" 26.5 average per game.

After the first two games of the current basketball season, the MIAA Conference has gotten off to a slow start. The conference boasts four wins while losing eight contests.



"THIS IS THE WAY WE WILL DO IT" . . . explains Coach Bob Gregory as D. Tassell, H. Higbotham, M. Ray, D. Sheldon, L. Jackson, front row, left to right, and C. Goff, J. Freese, S. Porter, Eklund, G. Babb, C. Schmidt, and M. Sorrenson listen to the words from the wise.—Photo by Geo. Green.

Bearcats Take Seventh Place In Cage Tournament at Liberty

Concentrating more on a balanced scoring attack and eliminating the unnecessary fouls, Coach Gregory's men notched 7th place in the Mid-American basketball tournament at William Jewell College at Liberty by posting the Bearcats' first victory of the season over Graceland college, 65-36, Saturday, Dec. 14.

Marland Ray led the scoring with 21 points followed by Charlie Goff with 12 and Don Eklund with 10 points. High for Graceland was Thomas with 16 points.

Following in order are the teams as they placed in the tournament and the players that made the all-star team:

First, William Jewell, Bud Lathrop and John Shepard; second, Oklahoma Baptist University, Don Sumner and Don Masters; third, Rockhurst, Bob Castaneda and Don Kline; fourth, Baker, Charles Hollinger and John Kean.

Fifth, College of Emporia, Steve Muck; sixth, Kansas City University; seventh, Northwest Missouri State, Marland Ray; and eighth, Graceland. Only Lathrop and Sumner are holdovers from last year.

Maryville drew undefeated Baker University as its first opponent in the cage tourney held at William Jewell and went down to defeat,

53-63.

Held about even in the first half the Baker U. quintet pulled ahead to stay, mainly on the efforts of Charles Elwick's 22 points and Jim Kean's 20 points. High scorer once again for the Bearcats was Marland Ray with 17 markers and Don Eklund chipped in another 15 points to help in a losing cause.

Once again the Bearcats played the opposition on an almost even basis in the first half only to fade in the second half and lost to College of Emporia, 69-58.

Steve Muck hit 6 of his 13 charity tosses in a row in the closing minutes of the game to keep Maryville just out of reach. Muck was the scoring leader of the game with 26 points. Teammates Dick Freeman and Ken Miller potted 15 and 14 points, respectively, for the Presbites.

Leland Jackson took charge of the Bearcats lagging offense and dropped in 19 points while Marland Ray with 16 and Don Eklund with 12 points backed up Jackson.

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Tomorrow's Slate

Candidates for tomorrow's student Senate elections are the following: Seniors — Paul Whelan, Francis "Bugs" Williams, Jo Benson, George Green, and Mar O'Connor; Juniors—Merle Sorrenson, Charlotte Moore, Bob Williamson, Deanie Sherard, Jo Ballinger, and Jerry Dallam.

Sophomores—Joyce McCoolle, Joyner, Edith Eckhoff, Ray F. Leland Jackson, Fred Fuhr, De Klxmiller, and Rosalie McCran. Freshmen—Linda Hayes, Bob McCollough, Peggy Humphrey, B. Simmons, and Jack Freese.

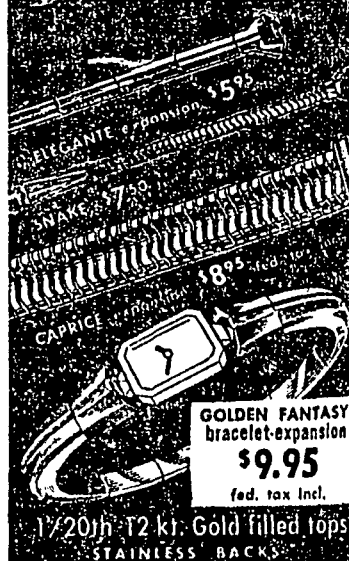
Students to Appear in Christmas Assembly Today

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Don Norton, stage crew; Ham Wilson, sound; Marjorie Cannon, Carl Redmon, Bill Lippincott, D. Smith, Dan DeMott, and D. Evans, makeup.

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